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FOLLOWING IS GUIDANCE WHICH WAS PREPARED BUT NOT USED FOR
DEPARTMENT NOON PRESS BRIEFING APRIL 8:

WE THINK RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS, UNDER THE AUSPICES OF
UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY GENERAL WALDHEIM, BETWEEN THE
GREEK AND CYPRIOT COMMUNITIES AFTER MORE THAN A YEAR WAS IN
ITSELF A SIGNIFICANT AND FAVORABLE DEVELOPMENT. ALSO IM-
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PORTANT, WE BELIEVE, IS THE FACT THAT THE GREEK AND TURKISH
CYPRIOTS, IN RESPONSE TO THE URGING OF MR. CLIFFORD DURING
HIS RECENT MISSION, EACH TABLED CONCRETE PROPOSALS WHICH
WERE THE SUBJECT OF SOME DISCUSSION OVER THE PERIOD OF A
WEEK. ON THE OTHER HAND, IT IS CLEAR THAT THE TWO NEGO-
TIATORS WERE FAR APART IN THEIR SUBSTANTIVE POSITIONS ON
THE TWO MAIN ISSUES OF FUTURE CONSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

AND THE AMOUNT OF TERRITORY TO BE HELD BY EACH COMMUNITY.
THE CYPRUS PROBLEM IS COMPLEX BUT WE ARE HOPEFUL THAT,
THROUGH A SUSTAINED NEGOTIATING PROCESS, THE TWO CYPRUS
COMMUNITIES CAN MAKE PROGRESS TOWARD A SETTLEMENT. WE THUS
WELCOME THE INTENTION TO RESUME TALKS IN NICOSIA NEXT
MONTH. WE WILL CONTINUE TO DO ALL WE CAN IN SUPPORT OF
THIS PROCESS.
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